

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

LEINANI DESLANDES, on behalf of herself  
and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff

v.

McDONALD’S USA, LLC, *et al.*

Defendants.

Civil Case No. 17-cv-04857

Judge Jorge L. Alonso

Magistrate Judge M. David Weisman

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STEPHANIE TURNER, on behalf of herself  
and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

McDONALD’S USA, LLC, *et al.*

Defendants.

Civil Case No. 19-cv-05524

**JOINT STATEMENT REGARDING DISCLOSURE OF DR. PETER CAPPELLI AS  
PLAINTIFFS’ REBUTTAL EXPERT**

Plaintiffs Leinani Deslandes and Stephanie Turner (“Plaintiffs”) and Defendants McDonald’s USA, LLC and McDonald’s Corporation (“McDonald’s”) respectfully submit this joint statement in response to the Court’s May 6, 2025 Order requiring the parties to submit a joint status report indicating whether Dr. Peter Cappelli has been disclosed as a rebuttal expert. ECF No. 545. On May 23, 2025, Plaintiffs served Dr. Cappelli’s rebuttal report on McDonald’s. McDonald’s intends to take Dr. Cappelli’s deposition on June 17, 2025 in Philadelphia, PA.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Dean M. Harvey, an attorney, hereby certify that the parties' **Joint Statement Regarding Disclosure of Dr. Peter Cappelli as Plaintiffs' Rebuttal Expert** was electronically filed on May 23, 2025 and will be served electronically via the Court's ECF Notice system upon the registered parties of record.

/s/ Dean M. Harvey